(c) A Committee of Experts has been constituted to screen from time to time formulations moving in the market from the angle of rationality and safety and to recommend to Government for prohibiting manufacture and sale of those for mulations considered irrational/harmful. As a result of this exercise, Government, through various notifications, have prohibited manufacture and sale of 26 catogories of drugs formulations. This system of monitoring would considerably help in restraining medical practitioners from prescribing brands of formulations which have been considered irrational/ harmful and banned by the Government.

Regional centre of Indira Gandhi Open University at Bombay

2861. SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that regional centre of the Indira Gandhi Open University is proposed to be opened in Bombay; and

b) if so, what are the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT AND MINISTER OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI P. V. NARASIMHA RAO): (a) and (b) The Indira Gandhi National Open University plans to establish a few regional centres in a phased manner. The location and other details of the regional centre to be opened in Maharashtra have not yet been finalised.

Mural fixed at Indira Gandhi International Airport, New Delhi

2862. SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION be pleased to state.

(a) what was the expenditure incurred on the 100 ft. Mural for the Indira Gandhi International Airport in New Delhi;

(b) whether it is a fact that the artist had promised the authorities to do it free of cost; and

c) if so, what is Government's reaction thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION (SHRI JAGDISH TYTLER): (a) There are no 100 ft. murals at the I.G.I. Airport. The murals provided measure 160 ft. x 12 ft., 107 ft. x 5 ft. 9 in. and 31 ft. x 9 ft. The total expenditure so far incurred on these murals amounts to Rs. 10.86 lakhs.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) Does not arise in view of (b) above.

सिंगरौली—ललितपुर रेल लाइन

2863. **डा० गोविन्द दास रिछारिया:** क्या रेल मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि सरकार सिंगरौली-ललितपुर रेल लाइन का निर्माण कार्य शीघ्र शुरू करने के लिए क्या कार्यवाही कर रही है ?

रेल मंत्रालय के राज्य मंत्री (श्री माधवराव सिंधिया) सतना-रीवा लाइन के निर्माण कार्य को 1985–86 के रेल बजट में शामिल किया गया है।

दिल्ली—ग्वालियर और खजुराहो मार्ग को राष्ट्रीय राजमार्ग के रूप में घोषित किया जाना

2864. **डा० गोविन्द दास रिछारिया** क्या जल–भूतल परिवहन मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या सरकार दिल्ली -ग्वालियर-खजुराहो मार्ग को "राष्ट्रीय-राजमार्ग" के रूप में घोषित करने तथा उसका विकास करने का विचार रखती है;

(ख) यदि हां, तो इस मार्ग का विकास कार्य कब तक शुरू किए जाने की सम्भावना है तथा इस संबंध में क्या कार्यवाही किए जाने का विचार है; और